

4

~~Insert~~ Application of:

Browning, et al.

Serial No.: 09/159,509

Filed: September 23, 1998

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR CREATING A WIREFRAME
AND POLYGON VIRTUAL
WORLD

04/27/1999 NTEKLENI 00000043 09159509

01 FC:117

870.00 EP

Group Art Unit: 2784

Examiner: Unknown

Attorney Docket.: 5181-11402

Client Docket: P3051C

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, **Box Missing Parts**, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date indicated below:

Dan R. Christen

Name of Registered Representative

April 23, 1999

Date _____

Signature

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Box Missing Parts

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f), mailed November 25, 1998, there is enclosed herewith:

- Two combined Declaration and Power of Attorneys, one executed by joint inventor Jaron Lanier, and one executed by joint inventor Ethan Joffe;
- Preliminary Amendment;
- A check in the amount of \$1,130.00 (\$130.00 for late filing of oath or declaration, \$130.00 for Petition, and \$870.00 for three month Extension of Time);

- A Certification by an authorized representative of the assignee under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b);
- A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted;
- A copy of the Reissue Supplement to Notice to File Missing Parts;
- Petition for a three month Extension of Time;
- A Request to Transfer Drawings from Original Patent to Reissue Application;
- Petition for Missing Inventor with Exhibits A, B and C; and
- A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please stamp and return this postcard to the undersigned.

A check in the amount of \$1,130.00 is enclosed to cover the fees. However, if the check is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Conley, Rose & Tayon, P.C. Deposit Account No. 03-2769/5181-11402/DRC. If any extensions of time (under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136) are necessary to prevent the above referenced application(s) from becoming abandoned, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such extensions. **Two duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,



Dan R. Christen
Reg. No. 39,943
(512) 703-1429
ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT(S)

Conley, Rose & Tayon
P. O. Box 398
Austin, Texas 78767-0398
Ph: (512) 476-1400



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

09/159.509 09/23/98 BROWNING

Application Number:

Application to Paper Number: 5181-11401

0242/1125

CONLEY ROSE & ROSE
P O BOX 398
AUSTIN TX 78767-0398

NOT ASSIGNED

**REISSUE SUPPLEMENT TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION**

11/25/98

This Reissue Supplement is an attachment to:

- ☒ "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)
☐ "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" No Filing Date Granted (PTO-1532)

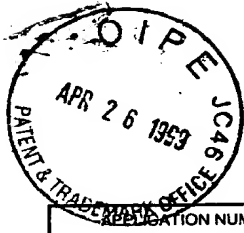
The item(s) indicated below as missing must be filed within the period for reply to the attached Notice to File Missing Parts of Application to avoid abandonment.

The following items are required to complete the reissue application:

- ☒ Consent of the assignee is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that the reissue oath/declaration be accompanied by the written consent of all assignees.
☒ Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).


Customer Service Center
Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

BEST AVAILABLE COPY



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO./TITLE
--------------------	---------------------	-----------------------	---------------------------

09/159,509 09/23/98 BROWNING D 5101 11401

0242/1125

CONLEY ROSE & ROSE

P O BOX 398

AUSTIN TX 78767-0398

NOT ASSIGNED

2784

DATE MAILED:

11/25/98

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☒ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 130.

☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☐ missing.
- ☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ _____ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

☐ 2. Additional claim fees of \$ _____ including any multiple dependent claim fees, are required.

\$ _____ for _____ independent claims over 3.

\$ _____ for _____ dependent claims over 20.

\$ _____ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☐ is missing or unexecuted.
- ☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.
- ☐ does not identify the application to which it applies.
- ☐ does not include the city and state or foreign country of applicant's residence.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

☐ 8. The application does not comply with the Sequence Rules.

See attached "Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825."

☒ 9. OTHER: See Reissue Notice

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center
Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

04/27/1999 MTEALEY 00000042 0915953 100.00 00 01 FC:105